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Re: Public Records Request PR-2018-00567 (COMPLETE)

Dear Mr. Wallace:

This letter is provided in response to your public records request for Emails between Paul Allen and UW Computer Science department from March 2015 - May 2017.

Upon review, the Office of Public Records and Open Public Meetings has found certain items partially exempt from inspection and copying and has made the appropriate **redactions** per the following Public Records Act provision(s):

RCW 42.48.020 HUMAN SUBJECTS RESEARCH INFORMATION

It is illegal for a state agency to release information regarding research subjects, except under court order or search warrant. The unauthorized release of records identifying research subjects, which is considered a gross misdemeanor, could result in a fine of up to \$10,000.

RCW 42.56.070(1) OTHER STATUTE

Each agency, in accordance with published rules, shall make available for public inspection and copying all public records, unless the record falls within the specific exemptions of RCW 42.56.070(9), this chapter, or other statute which exempts or prohibits disclosure of specific information or records.

The records responsive to your request are enclosed as provided by the Public Records Act of Washington State. This concludes the University's response to your public records request. Please contact this office if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Perry Tapper
Compliance Officer

Encl.